

**Amendments to the Claims:**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Canceled)
2. (Previously Presented) A microconnector characterized by comprising:  
a socket in which on a board made of single crystal silicon,  
plural cantilever terminal blocks having free ends with pressure receiving parts in their vicinities and fixed ends continuous with the board are integrally formed,  
socket leads extending from the fixed ends to the free ends are disposed on upper surfaces of the terminal blocks,  
a guide pin receiving part and a guide groove continuous with the guide pin receiving part and formed in parallel to the terminal blocks are formed, and  
a housing covering the free ends and forming a receiving gap part to receive a plug in cooperation with the board is mounted; and  
the plug in which plug leads corresponding to the socket leads and a guide pin corresponding to the guide groove are provided on a plug board.
- 3-7. (Canceled)
8. (Currently Amended) ~~A~~The microconnector according to claim 2, characterized in that the free ends of the plural cantilever terminal blocks are directed to inside of the board.
9. (Canceled)
10. (Currently Amended) ~~A~~The microconnector according to claim 2, characterized in that the terminal blocks in which fixed ends are continuous with the board at an insertion side of the plug and the terminal blocks in which fixed ends are continuous with

the board at an opposite side thereto are provided, and the pressure receiving parts provided in the vicinities of the free ends are arranged in a staggered manner.

11. (Canceled)